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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: U.S.-ALGERIAN RELATIONS

1. I CALLED ON PRESIDENTIAL ASSISTANT HAMDANI THIS MORNING TO PRESENT COPY OF SEPTEMBER 20 LETTER FROM PRESIDENT FORD TO BOUMEDIENE AND ORIGINAL OF SEPTEMBER 11 LETTER FROM SECRETARY TO BOUMEDIENE. HAMDANI VERY HOSPITABLE AND SAID WHILE UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVES IN ALGIERS ALWAYS HAD GREAT WEIGHT WITH ALGERIANS, TWO LETTERS WOULD GIVE ADDED WEIGHT IN MY CASE. HE THEN VOLUNTEERED THAT RESTORATION OF RELATIONS HAD BEEN DECIDED IN PRINCIPLE AND IT WAS ONLY QUESTION OF TIMING. HE AND HIS ASSOCIATES HAD HOPED THAT THIS WOULD HAVE OCCURRED IN PAST TWO OR THREE MONTHS BUT OTHER CONCERNS (UNSPECIFIED) AND THE PRESS OF WORK HAD PREVENTED IT. HE WAS HOPEFUL THAT SOMETHING WOULD BE DONE IN NEAR FUTURE HOWEVER. I DID NOT COMMENT.

2. HAMDANI ALSO RAISED QUESTION OF MIXED COMMISSION AND ASKED THAT WE LET HIM KNOW IF WE HAD ANY NEW INFORMATION ON THE SUBJECT. I SAID WE HAD NOTHING NEW AT THIS POINT BUT WOULD LET HIM KNOW IF ANYTHING DEVELOPED.
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